GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2950
ANSWERED ON:14.03.2000
FORCED CONVERSIONS OF HINDU CHILDREN
BRIJBHUSHAN SHARAN SINGH;MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT;P.R. KHUTE;RAMCHANDRA BAINDA

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether complaints regarding forced conversions of Hindu children by Christian Missionaries have been received in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government have conducted/propose to conduct any study to find out the reasons therefor;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI I.D. SWAMI)

(a): No reports regarding forced conversions of Hindu children by Christian Missionaries have been received by the Government.

(b),(c),(d)&(e): Does not arise in view of (a) above.